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If you can imagine a pineapple eight feet high, and thick in proportion, resting upon its base, and denuded of leaves, you will have a good idea of the trunk of the tree, which, however, was not the color of the banana, but a dark, dingy brown, and apparently hard as iron. From the apex of this truncated cone (at least two feet in diameter) eight leaves hung sheer to the ground, like doors swung back on their hinges. These leaves, which were joined at the tree at regular intervals, were about eleven or twelve feet long, and shaped very much like the American agave, or century plant. They were two feet through in their thickest part, and three feet wide, tapering to a sharp point that looked like a cow's horn, very convex, the outer (but now under) surface, and on the inner (now upper) surface slightly concave. This concave surface was thickly set with very strong thorny hooks, like those upon the head of the tenzel. These leaves, hanging thus limp and lifeless, dead green in color, had in appearance the massive strength of oak fibre. The apex of the cone was a round, white concave figure, like a smaller plate set within a larger one. This was not a flower, but a receptacle, and there exuded into it a clear treacly liquid honey sweet, and possessed of violent intoxicating and soporific properties. From underneath the rim, so to speak, of the undermost plate a series of long, hairy, green tendrils stretched in every direction toward the horizon. These were seven or eight feet long each, and tapered from four inches to a half inch in diameter, yet they stretched out stiffly as iron rods. Above these (from between the upper and under cup) six white, almost transparent palpi reared themselves toward the sky, twirling and twisting with a marvelous incessant motion, yet constantly reaching upward. Then the natives surrounded one of the women and urged her with the points of their javelins, until slowly and with despairing face she climbed up the stalk of the tree and stood on the summit of the cope, the palpi twirling about her. "Tisk! Tisk!" (Drink! Drink!) cried the men, and stooping she drank of the viscid fluid in the cup, rising instantly with wild frenzy in her face and convulsive chorea in her limbs. But she did not jump down as she seemed to intend to do. Oh, no! The atrocious cannibal that had been so inert and dead came to sudden savage life. The slender, delicate palpi, with the fury of starved serpents, quivered for a moment over her head, then as if by instinct, with demonic intelligence, fastened upon her in sudden coils round and round her neck and arms; then, while her awful screams and yet more awful laughter rose wilder, to be instantly strangled down again into a gurgling moan, the tendrils, one after another, like green serpents, with brutal energy and infernal rapidity, rose, retracted themselves, and wrapped her about in fold after fold over tightening, with the cruel swiftness and savage tenacity of anacondas fastening upon their prey. It was the babarity of the Laocoon without its beauty—this strange, horrible murder. And now the great leaves rose slowly and stiffly like the arms of a derrick, erected themselves in the air, approaching one another, and closed about the dead and hampered victim with the silent force of any hydraulic press and the ruthless purpose of a thumb-screw. A moment more, and while I could see the basis of the great leaves pressing more tightly toward each other, from their interstices there trickled down the stalks streams of viscid honeylike fluid mingled horribly with the blood and oozing viscera of the victim.

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## NEWS OF THE DAY.

Emperor William is still recovering.

The Cuban Insurrection has at last been quelled.

It is thought the European congress will result in peace.

The Pennsylvania Republicans are trying to revolt against Cameron.

The Potter Committee is still damaging Matthews and Sherman.

The charge of fraud in the election of Senator Grover, of Oregon, has been dismissed by the Senate.

A serious riot occurred at Quebec last week. The mob plundered stores and had to be dispersed by the military.

Bob Toombs is for Stephens for Congress, whether he is an Independent or not. Old Bob is somewhat of a fraud.

The House by a vote of 234 to 14 has resolved that Hayes can be unseated only by impeachment. This destroys Radical thunder.

The North Carolina Democrats have nominated W. H. N. Smith for Chief Justice, and Thos. S. Ashe and J. H. Dillard for Associate Justices.

The conference report on the army bill has been agreed to; the army strength being limited to 25,000, and the section prohibiting the use of the army to enforce civil law being retained.

Senator Hill, of Georgia shows that forty-two "Confederate" Congressmen agreed to prevent filibustering and thereby secured the adoption of the report of the Electoral Commission, which prevented civil war.

The Comtesse de Paris has given birth to a daughter. The baby was born at 1, a. m., to the delight of the superstitious, for in the House of Orleans children coming into the world after midnight and before noon are declared to be lucky. Old Louis Philippe was particularly superstitious on this score, and never failed on these solemn family occasions to watch the clock with anxiety till the fated hour had struck.

Mrs. TILTON'S NAME DROPPED FROM THE ROLL OF PLYMOUTH CHURCH.—The examining committee of Plymouth Church met Monday night to consider the charge of Mrs. Barbara Walton that the recent confession by Mrs. Tilton of adultery with Henry Ward Beecher was a slander on her pastor, and that therefore she was not a fit person to be connected with the church. Mrs. Tilton had been duly notified that her examination would take place that night. It was not expected, however, that she would appear personally. The session was held with closed doors. Mrs. Tilton sent in a letter in which, it is understood, she reiterated the statement made concerning Mr. Beecher in her confession. This was read over by the committee and discussed at length. At the close of the session the members of the committee hurried away, declining to say what conclusion was arrived at, but it was subsequently ascertained that they resolved to drop Mrs. Tilton's name from the roll.

A LIVELY TILT.—While Rev. Dr. Meynardie was quietly sitting last Friday afternoon on the piazza of Nicholson's Hotel, awaiting the arrival of a train, he was approached by A. S. Wallace, former Congressman from this district. The following dialogue ensued:

Wallace—(in a bantering, swaggering style)—"I believe I don't remember your name."

Dr. Meynardie—"It's immaterial; mine is an obscure name."

Wallace—"Oh! I believe your name is Meynardie?"

Dr. Meynardie—"That's my name."

Wallace—"I have seen your name in the newspapers; some men manage to get their names in the papers."

Dr. Meynardie—"Yes; that is often done by hackneyed politicians and spavined Congressmen."

Wallace—"You were in the army, I believe?"

Dr. Meynardie—"Yes; as a chaplain."

Wallace—"Do you not feel that you have prayed in vain?"

Dr. Meynardie—"By no means; though my prayers were not entirely answered then, they have been fully answered since; South Carolina is free from the rule of carpet-baggers and scalawags."

Chester Reporter.